21.	सोनभद्र	29,490
22.	इलाहाबाद, यू०ई०बी०	1,455
	इलाहाबाद	1,45,116
	काशीविद्यापीठ	580
	योग:	8,04,904

बुन्देलखण्ड क्षेत्र

1.	झांसी	44,767
2.	जालोन	31,169
3.	हमीरपुर	19,892
4.	माहोबा	7,337
5.	बान्दा	26,748
6.	ललितपुर	10,238
	योग:	1,40,151

Production of Radiation Shielding Window Glass by BOGL

2156. SHRI JIBON ROY: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Bharat Ophthalmic Glass Ltd. (BOGL) had developed and installed the facilities for production of Radiation Shielding Window (RSW) Glass for Bhaba Atomic Research Centre (BARC);

(b) whether it is a fact that BOGL is now not getting adequate order from BARC for supplying Radiation Shielding Window (RSW) Glass;

(c) whether in the absence of sufficient order of RSW Glass from BARC, these facilities are being under utilised; and

(d) if so, action taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF INDUSTRY (SHRI MURASOLI MARAN): (a) Alongwith its main product Flint Buttons, BOGL produces Optical Glass items which include certain types of glass used in Radiation Shielding Windows (RSW) for the BARC.

(b) to (d) During the last 3 financial" years, the company received on an average orders for 4 MT per annum. BARC has projected their requirements at 115 MT over next 4-5 years. BOGL is pursuing the matter with BARC for more orders.

Sale of Pusa-44 Rice

2157. SHRI SOM PAL: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Food Corporation of India came to know in the year 1990-91 regarding sale of Pusa-44 a variety of rice by mixing the same with the other varieties of rice;

(b) whether it is also a fact that Pusa-44 is considered to be a fine category of rice whereas it was purchased by the officers of the Food Corporation of India at some places in Punjab considering it as super fine rice;

(c) whether the whole matter was entrusted to the Central Bureau of Investigation for inquiry; and

(d) if so, the findings of the inquiry and action taken so far by the Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF FOOD (SHRI DEVENDRA PRASAD YADAV): (a) No, Sir, It was only during 1991-92 (i.e. in the month of November, 1991) that FCI came to know for the first time about the marketing of Pusa-44 variety of rice by mixing it with superfine rice in Jallandhar District of Punjab.

(b) Yes, Sir. On the basis of the classification norms prescribed by the Govt, of India on the recommendations of Balasubramanian Committee, the Pusa-44 variety of paddy/rice grown in Punjab stands classified as 'Fine'.

During 1991-92 and 1992-93, Pusa-44 was procured as superfine by FCI because this variety was reportedly offered mixed with other genuine superfine varieties. However, during 1993-94, FCI started procuring Pusa-44 variety as 'Fine'